## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1632

Attorney's Docket No. 051009/309226 PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

 In re:
 Akira et al.
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For: ENDOTOXIN-NONRESPONSIVE MODEL ANIMAL

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

- This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two months to respond to the Office Action dated September 18, 2008 and the Advisory Action dated January 9, 2009.
- Applicant is a small entity; other than a small entity.
- Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity
	one month	\$130.00	\$65.00
$\boxtimes$	two months	<u>\$490.00</u>	\$245.00
	three months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
	four months	\$1,730.00	\$865.00
	five months*	\$2,350.00	\$1,175.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

A check in the amount of \$\sistem is enclosed.

Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing

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Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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